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TAGS: PGOC, SENV, CA  
SUBJECT: CANADIAN PUBLIC MEETINGS AS PART OF REVIEW PREPARATORY  
TO RENEGOTIATION GREAT LAKES WATER QUALITY AGREEMENT

1. JULY 11 TORONTO NEWSPAPER CARRIED ADVERTISEMENT  
SPONSORED BY FEDERAL AND ONTARIO ENVIRONMENT MINISTRIES  
HEADLINED "PUBLIC MEETINGS CANADA-U.S. AGREEMENT" AND  
ANNOUNCED MSETINGS TO BE HELD TORONTO JULY 14 AND  
THUNDER BAY JULY 15 "TO LISTEN TO ANY INDIVIDUAL OR  
GROUP WISHING TO DISCUSS MATTERS RELATIVE TO POLICIES,  
PLANNING, OPERATIONS, MANAGEMENT AND ANY OTHER MATTER  
RELATED TO INTERNATIONAL EFFORTS TO RESTORE AND PROTECT  
THE WAHE QUALITY OF THE GREAT LAKES UNDER THE CANADA-  
U.S. AGREEMENT SIGNED IN 1972.

"THE AGREEMENT, NOW IN ITS FIFTH YEAR, IS UNDER REVIEW  
AS CANADA AND THE U.S. PREPARE TO RENEGOTIATE THE  
AGREEMENT. THE PUBLIC MEETINGS THEREFORE, PROVIDE  
A KEY OPPORTUNITY FOR CITIZENS TO ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE  
IN ESTABLISHING THE DIRECTION OF THE WATER AGREEMENT  
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AND FUTURE POLICIES GOVERNING OUR GREAT LAKES. THOSE  
WISHING TO PRESENT THEIR VIEWS CONCERNING WHAT HAS BEEN  
ACCOMPLISHED AND WHAT REMAINS TO BE DONE, ARE ENCOURAGED  
TO PRESENT THEIR VIEWS AT THESE MEETINGS."

2.COMMENT:THE ONTARIO MINISTRY OF THE ENVIRONMENT  
HAS AGREED TO SUPPLY THE CONSULATE GENERAL WITH LITERATURE

TO BE DISTRIBUTED AT THESE MEETINGS. THE MINISTRY  
SPOKESMAN WAS QUITE OPTIMISTIC REGARDING THE TWO  
MEETINGS AND EXPECTS OVER ONE HUNDRED TO ATTEND THE TORONTO  
MEETING ALONE.  
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